## Amendments to the claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Original) A compound of the formula I, or a salt, solvate, or a physiologically functional derivative thereof

in which

R1 is hydrogen, -NH<sub>2</sub>, or C<sub>1-6</sub>alkyl; R2 is hydrogen; or

R2 is a radical of the formula

in which W is a bond,  $-CH_2$ -,  $-CH_2CH_2$ -, -C(=O)-,  $-NCH_3$ -, or -NH-;

R is  $C_{3\text{-}6}$ cycloalkyl,  $C_{1\text{-}6}$ alkyl, hydroxy, -NH<sub>2</sub>,  $(C_{1\text{-}6}$ alkyl)<sub>2</sub>N-,  $C_{1\text{-}6}$ alkylO-,  $C_{1\text{-}6}$ alkylOCH<sub>2</sub>-, phenyl optionally and independently substituted with one to three  $C_{1\text{-}6}$ alkyl, halogen,  $C_{1\text{-}6}$ alkylO-,  $C_{1\text{-}6}$ alkylOC(=O)-, acetyl, NH<sub>2</sub>C(=O)-, FSO<sub>2</sub>-, -CF<sub>3</sub>, NH<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>2</sub>-, dimethylamino; HOCH<sub>2</sub>-, CH<sub>3</sub>NHC(=O)-, hydroxy, phenyl; or

R is a radical of the formula

$$N$$
,  $H_3C$ 

or

provided that W cannot be CH<sub>2</sub> when point of attachment of R to W is oxygen or nitrogen.

## 2. (Original) The compounds of formula I of claim 1 in which

R1 is hydrogen, or C<sub>1-6</sub>alkyl;

R2 is hydrogen; or

R\_\_\_W\_

R2 is a radical of the formula

in which W is a bond,  $-CH_2$ -,  $-CH_2CH_2$ -, -C(=O)-,  $-NCH_3$ -, or -NH-;

R is  $C_{1-6}$ alkyl, hydroxy, -NH<sub>2</sub>,  $(C_{1-6}$ alkyl)<sub>2</sub>N-,  $C_{1-6}$ alkylO-,  $C_{1-6}$ alkylOCH<sub>2</sub>-, phenyl optionally and independently substituted with one to three  $C_{1-6}$ alkyl, halogen,  $C_{1-6}$ alkylO-,  $C_{1-6}$ alkylOC(=O)-, -CF<sub>3</sub>, NH<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>2</sub>-, hydroxy, phenyl; or

R is a radical of the formula

$$P_{N}$$
,  $P_{N}$ ,  $P$ 

provided that W cannot be CH<sub>2</sub> when point of attachment of R to W is oxygen or nitrogen.

3. (Currently Amended) A method of inhibiting hYAK3 and/or MK2 proteins in a mammal; comprising, administering to the mammal a therapeutically effective amount of a compound of claim 1 or 2, or a salt, solvate, or a physiologically functional derivative thereof.

- 4. (Currently Amended) A method of treating or preventing a disorder selected from the group consisting of neutropenia; cytopenia; anemias, including anemias due to renal insufficiency or to a chronic disease, such as autoimmunity or cancer, and drug-induced anemias; polycythemia; myelosuppression; rheumatoid arthritis; COPD; asthma; psoriasis; acute neuronal injury; heart failure; stroke, osteoarthritris; and ischemia reperfusion injury; comprising, administering to a mammal a therapeutically effective amount of a compound of claim 1 or 2, or a salt, solvate, or a physiologically functional derivative thereof and one or more of pharmaceutically acceptable carriers, diluents and excipients.
- 5. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 2-(2,6-dimethoxy-phenylamino)-9-methoxy-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 6. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 2-(1H-indazol-5-ylamino)-9-methoxy-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 7. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 9-methoxy-2-(2-methoxy-6-methyl-phenylamino)-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 8. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 2-(1H-indazol-6-ylamino)-9-methoxy-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 9. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 2-(2-bromo-phenylamino)-9-methoxy-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 10. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 3-(9-methoxy-4-oxo-6,7-dihydro-4H-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-2-ylamino)-benzenesulfonamide.
- 11. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 2-(2-chloro-phenylamino)-9-methoxy-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 12. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 2-(2,6-dimethyl-phenylamino)-9-methoxy-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.)
- 13. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 2-(2-bromo-6-fluoro-phenylamino)-9-methoxy-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.

- 14. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1-to 4 claim 1 that is 2-(3-methoxy-phenylamino)-9-methoxy-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 15. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 2-(2-hydroxy-6-methyl-phenylamino)-9-methoxy-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 16. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 9-methoxy-2-(4-methoxy-biphenyl-3-ylamino)-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 17. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 3-(9-methoxy-4-oxo-6,7-dihydro-4H-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-2-ylamino)-benzoic acid ethyl ester.
- 18. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 9-methoxy-2-(2-methoxy-phenylamino)-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 19. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 9-methoxy-2-(2-trifluoromethyl-phenylamino)-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 20. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 2-(4-chloro-2,6-dimethyl-phenylamino)-9-methoxy-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 21. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 9-methoxy-2-(quinolin-5-ylamino)-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 22. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 2-(2-chloro-5-methoxy-phenylamino)-9-methoxy-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 23. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 2-[N'-(2-bromo-phenyl)-hydrazino]-9-methoxy-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 24. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 9-methoxy-2-(N'-methyl-N'-phenyl-hydrazino)-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.

- 25. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 2-(2-amino-ethylamino)-9-methoxy-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 26. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 9-methoxy-2-(2-pyrrolidin-1-yl-ethylamino)-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 27. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 2-(2-dimethylamino)-9-methoxy-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 28. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 2-(2-hydroxy-ethylamino)-9-methoxy-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 29. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 9-methoxy-2-[(2-methoxy-ethyl)-methyl-amino]-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 30. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 9-methoxy-2-(4-methoxy-benzylamino)-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 31. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1-to 4 claim 1 that is 9-methoxy-2-(3-methoxy-benzylamino)-6,7-dihydro-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-4-one.
- 32. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 3-bromo-N-[3-(9-methoxy-4-oxo-6,7-dihydro-4H-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-2-ylamino)-phenyl]-benzamide.
- 33 (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is cyclopentanecarboxylic acid [3-(9-methoxy-4-oxo-6,7-dihydro-4H-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-2-ylamino)-phenyl]-amide.
- 34. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 3-bromo-N-[3-(9-methoxy-4-oxo-6,7-dihydro-4H-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-2-ylamino)-phenyl]-benzenesulfonamide.
- 35. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 2-methoxy-N-(9-methoxy-4-oxo-6,7-dihydro-4H-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-2-yl)-acetamide.

36. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 2,4,6-trichloro-N-(9-methoxy-4-oxo-6,7-dihydro-4H-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-2-yl)-benzamide.

37. (Currently Amended) A compound of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 that is 2-methoxy-N-(9-methoxy-4-oxo-6,7-dihydro-4H-pyrimido[6,1-a]isoquinolin-2-yl)-acetamide.